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	Issuer	10% Oumer	(specify below)		Applicable Line)	rson		7.Nature of Indirect Beneficial Owner-	dius	(Instr. 4)							
(Print or Type Responses)	Person(s) to	applicable)			Filing (Check,	ing Person One Reporting Pe	ally Owned	6.Owner ship Form: Direct	(D) or Indirect	(T)							
	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	(Check all applicable)	Officer Other (give title below)	ıt	7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	A Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at	end of Monta	(Instr. 3 and 4)							
	6. Rela		* 	President	7. Indi	↓	cquired, Disp			Price		4					
	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	(0)	ıt for ear	003	dment,	Original Year)	e Securities A	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(A) or (D)						1	
			4. Statement for Month/Year	March 2003	5. If Amendment,	Date of Original (Month/Year)	on-Derivativ	4. Securities Acquire or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Amount	,						
		Veeco Instruments Inc. (VECO)	3. IRS Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	•			Table I — N	3. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8)		Code V							
		Veeco Instrume						2. Trans-3. action Date	(Month/ Day/							40.VC-V	
	1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*	~	(Middle)			94566	(Zip)									To see June 1	
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		Kania	(Last)	438 Puerto Vallarta		Pleasanton	(City)	1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)								* If the form is filed ha	

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Table II — Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect ((1))	(msm. 4)		D							
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8. Price of 9 Derivative Security (Instr. 5)					٠					
Underlying	Amount or Number of	Silares	100,000							
7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Title		Common Stock				j			
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4. Conver- sion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security			\$15.27							_
Security (Instr. 3)			Stock Option (Right to Purchase)							

*The option becomes exercisable in 33 1/3% increments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date.

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